## SCAM ALERT

It has been reported that an email was sent by someone claiming to be from the Kansas Real Estate Commission and using one of the Commission's actual email addresses. The subject line was "Fine". The email stated that the licensee's website was in violation of the license law and the broker would be notified. A sample of the bogus email is below.

From: KREC [mailto:krec@krec.ks.gov]
Sent: Friday, April 15, 2011 11:59 AM

Subject: Fine

Message Body:

Mr. \_\_\_\_\_, your site has been submitted to KREC for possible violations. After reviewing, your site is in violation of Kansas real estate license law. Your current broker will be notified.

KREC

The Commission does not send form emails regarding fines that would lack any specificity. We're hopeful that this is an isolated incident. If you have any questions about the authenticity of an email from KREC, please let us know.

To email a KREC staff member directly, see the list available under "Quick Contact Info" on the Commission's homepage at www.kansas.gov/krec.

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